Writ Petition.has been issuing directions to GNCTD from time to time regarding the policy of freeship condition and its compliance.

Minimum wages paid by CPWD

1965. SHRI PRAVEEN RASHTRAPAL: Will the MINISTER OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the amount of minimum wage paid to unskilled workers in urban areas and unskilled workers in rural areas, State-wise;

(b) the amount of minimum wages fixed by CPWD on various projects undertaken by Government;

(c) the reasons for large variation in the amount of CPWD minimum wage and wages fixed by various State Governments; and

(d) whether there is any move by the Central Government to rationalize wage structure keeping in view the price structure of essential commodities?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI AJAY MAKEN): (a) to (d) Information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the Sabha.

Repair of balconies in Government flats in Delhi

†1966. SHRI VINAY KATIYAR: Will the MINISTER OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government are aware that balconies of Government flats in Delhi are in shabby condition;

(b) the number of such balconies especially in Netaji Nagar E-Block which require immediate repair; and

(c) the reasons therefor and the action being proposed in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI AJAY MAKEN): (a) The balconies of Government flats in Delhi can benefit from aesthetic improvement, repair and retrofitting.

(b) and (c) 105 balconies in Netaji Nagar E-Block require repairs. The work relating to repair, retrofitting and aesthetic improvements in Government colonies is an ongoing process and is being done in a phased manner subject to availability of funds.

Financial assistance for ring roads in State Capitals

1967. SHRI RAMACHANDRAIAH: Will the MINISTER OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether his Ministry is providing financial assistance to any of the State Governments to construct ring roads in their Capital cities;

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†Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.

(b) if so, whether the proposal of the State Government of Andhra Pradesh seeking 50 per cent cost for development of second ring road (outer ring road) project has been approved;

(c) if so, the details of the sanctions accorded thereto; and

(d) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI AJAY MAKEN): (a) to (d) No, Sir. No proposal for ring roads has been submitted by any of the State Governments including Government of Andhra Pradesh seeking Additional Central Assistance under Urban Infrastructure and Governance (UIG) component of Jawaharlal Nehru National Urban Renewal Mission (JNNURM).

However, a revised concept Note for the Outer Ring Road Project of Hyderabad, costing Rs.2700 crore, with Japanese Bank for International Cooperation (JBIC) assistance was received from the Government of Andhra Pradesh and has been recommended to Department of Economic Affairs on 6.3.2007.

Complaints received by CPWD enquiry, Sarojini Nagar

1968. DR. M.A.M. RAMASWAMY: Will the MINISTER OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the total number of complaints received by the "GI" Block, CPWD Enquiry, Sarojini Nagar, New Delhi during the last three years, year-wise;

(b) the number of complaints which remained unattended for more than 15 days out of the above complaints; and

(c) the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI AJAY MAKEN): (a) Total number of complaints received by "GI" Block, CPWD Enquiry, Sarojini Nagar during the last three years is 34657. The year-wise break up is as under:

Period	No. of Complaints
21.8.06 to 20.8.07.	11967
21.8.05 to 20.8.06	10223
21.8.04 to 20.8.05	12467

(b) and (c) Eight complaints remain unattended for more than 15 days out of the above complaints on reasons such as non availability of the allottee, non availability of the glass sheet, and request from allottee etc.